## CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW.

GHRIST CHURCH-Service at 11 a. m. sad 72 p. m., by Rev. Dr. McKim. Sr. PAUL's Church-Service at 11 s. m. and

4 r. m., by Rev. Dr. Norton. GRACE CHURCH-Service at 11 a m. and 71 p. m., by Rev. Dr. Sprigg.
St. Many's Church-Mass at 7 and 11 a. m., and Vespers at 4 p. m. Union Pressyr'n, Church (First Church)-

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 72 p. m., by Rev. Dr. SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Preaching

morning and night, by Rev- Mr. Dinwiddie. METH. EPIS. CHURCH-Sermon in the morning and at might, by Kev. Mr. Beyer,
METH. EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH—Service in the morning and at night, by Rev. Mr.

METH. PROT. CHURCH-Service in the morning and at night by Rev. Mr. McGregor.

Baptist Church-Service in the morning and at night, by Rev. Mr. Penick

Waugh.

GREMAN LUTHERAN-Service at 11 a. m., by Rev. Mr. Fleckenstein.

VILLAGE CHAPEL-No service. Young Men's Christian Association. Prayer meeting in the Methodist Epis, Church South, at 4 o'clock p. m. - special services closing the week of prayer recommended by the Eva g-lical Alliance. Tuesday night next last preparatory meeting to the anniversary, which will take the place at the regular monthly meeting, in the room, on King st., at 72 p. m.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

CITY MARKET.-Tre market this morning, as has been the case ever since Christmas, was attended by but few country people. The butchers' and hucksters' stalls, however, presented their usual display of provisions, and from them ample supplies were obtained by those who had money to spend; and most of those who visited the square had money for that purpose, for so many strange things are happening n w-a-days-preachers going to the bad, presidents turning dictators and whole communities becoming banditti-that people, not knowing what a day may bri: g forth, don't save money as they used to, but gratify their appetites and desires while they can, irrespective of cost, acting upon the principle that a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush, and that if they fail to enjoy what they can to-day, repudiation, imprisonment or assassination may intervene to prevent their doing so to-morrow.

W. & O. R. R .- In the United States Senare yesterday, Mr. Lewis introduced a bill to aid the W. & O. R R. Co. in the construction of their road to the Ohio river. The bill provides that the Secretary of the Interior be authorized to indorse the guaranty of the United States on the bonds of the road to the amount of thirty thousand dollars for every mile of the road between Washington and the Ohio river, a total distance of not exceeding 350 miles, the bonds to be delivered to the company at the rate aforesaid upon the completion, ready for use, of every ten miles. The indorsement shall not be made until the road shall have filed with the Secretary of the I pterior a deed of trust upon all its property, providing for the indemnification against all loss by reason of such guaranty. The pay of the road for carrying the mails shall be retained until the road is completed, and shall be applied whenever reason of default on the part of the company to the payment of the interest upon said guaranteed bonds, and ultimately to the payment of semi-annually. Referred to District Commit-

U. S. COURTS. - In the U. S. Circuit Court the grand and petit juries appeared according to adjournment, and the grand jury were sent to their room, and after some time returned into court with indictments against Lemuel & H. Powers, distillers, for violation of internal revenue laws, and having no further business were discharged. U. S. vs. George Summers; same vs. J. H.

Kent; same vs. Ludwelf Slack; and same vs. Edward Kelley, indicted for violation of internal revenue laws; jury sworn and verdiet of not guilty in each of these cases.

The court adjourned for the term.

In the U S. District Court, in the matter of Robert B. Merchant, fifty dollars was allowed Charles E. Sinclair for attorney's fees. In re Sanford Payne; assignee's report of

sale confirmed. A. J. Andrews, who was brought before the

court on a bench warrant, for contempt, charged with sending insulting and defamatory letters to the judge, appeared in court, and having purged himself of the contempt, was discharged.

The court then adjourned for the term.

POLICE REPORT. - Affairs at police head quarters continue remarkably quiet.

The only case reported there this morning was that of Constable J. T. Burnett who was bailed in the sum of \$250, Toeodore Teed becoming his bondman, for his appearance at the next term of the Corporation Court, which will meet on Monday next, to answer the charge of an assault upon and attempt to kill John Parker. The evidence educed was to the effeet that on Christmas night Parker went to the house of a woman from whom Burnett had been separated, and that while there he was knocked down and stamped upon by Burnett, who also called for an axe with which to chop off his head. Mr. Edmund Burke appeared as counsel for Burnett, J. M. Johnson, Commonwealth's Attorney, representing the State. Eleven lodgers were accommodated at the station house last night.

DISTURBANCE AT THE JAIL.-Two well ku wa characters, Hugh Strider and Eddie Meades, the former an escaped member of the chain gang, walked in the jail of their own accord, this afternoon, and when the door was locked upon them, made a violent assault upon Mr. Boyie, the jailor, striking him with a poker and tearing the clothes from his person. Policeman Travers, who was in the jail at the time, rendered such assistance as he was able, and with the aid of two prisoners, who were called from their cells for the purpose, the assailants were secured, though not until both of them had been cut by billy wounds, it flicted in my family. by policemen who had also come there to stop what was reported on the streets to be a mu-

LOCAL LEGISLATION .-- In the House of Delegates on Thursday Mr. O'Neal introduced a bill to empower the Hebrew congregation of Alexandria to borrow money; and Mr. Round one to appropriate \$1,000 to enable the "Ladies' Memorial Association of Manassas' to inclose the cemetery under their charge with a

substantial stone fence. A bill was passed for the relief of John A. Spillman and Robert Frazier, by refunding taxes erroneously assessed on the Warrenton

Female Institute. The House also passed the bill to provide for rearranging the dates for the ending of the school year, the making of the aenual reports,

ORATORS. - The Richmond State Journal of held the House of Delegates spell-bound this morning, to wit: The Demosthenean orator of Canned Milk, Potted Beef, Ham and Tonthe wilderness and the surpassing elecutionist gue for sale cheap by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, ocean were in his front and the pebbles were in his mouth. The latter spoke as if the shades of Ariington shrouded his mind, and demanded the polish of Ciccronean delivery! The one, by [jan 9] 166 and 170 King street.

| jan 9 | 166 and 170 King street. | see the dispatches sen | Sheridan by Belknap | saying the President and saying the Preside ed the polish of Ciccronean delivery! The one, by

FIRE WARDENS.-The regular monthly meeting of the Fire Wardens was held last night. The bills that had accumulated since the last meeting were examined, and such as were correct were ordered to be paid; some necessary improvements to the Columbia Engine House were ordered; the thanks of the Wardens were tendered engineer Young of the Hydraulion for a copper ornament to that engine, and a resolution was adopted declaring it inexpedient to grant the application of the Sun Fire Eugine for a supply of hose.

LENT.-Lent will begin this year on the 10th of February, much earlier than it has done since 1869. This will bring the high festival of Easter this year on the 28th of March, which, is within six days of the earliest period upon which it can ever possibly occur. Oa some years Easter falls as late as the 25th of April. Some years there are as many as nine Sundays between Epiphany and Ash Wednesday, but this year there will only be five Sundays intervening between the jubilee of Epi phany and the solemn fast of Lent.

DISCHARGED. - It will be seen by reference to the proceedings of the U. S. District Court, to-day, that A. J. Audrews, of Richmond, whose arrest was noticed yesterday on a charge of contempt in sending insulting letters to the judge, was brought before the court and purged himself of the contempt, and was discharged, the judge having to issue an order for the payment of his expenses back to Richmond on account of his poverty.

have been filled, and most of them with ice three inches and a quarter thick the water at the head of Hunting Creek, from which it was gathered, being covered with ice of that thickness. The ice on the canal was thick enough to day to bear the weight of skaters, many of whom availed themselves of the opportunity to indulge in their favorite sport.

PUBLIC LECTURE - Rev. Oscar F. Flipp of Baltimore, as will be seen by an advertisement elsewhere in to-day's Gazette, will deliver a lecture in the Baptist Church next Tues day evening, on Auger, or the folly of getting mad--an excellent subject, truely, for of all foolish things, getting mad is unquestionably the most foolish.

Ball .-- As will be seen by reference to an advertisement elsewhere in to-day's Gazette, the Knights of St. Patrick will give a ball at the Assembly Rooms next Tuesday night. All the necessary arrangements have been made, and the character of those having the management of the affair is a sufficient guarantee for its entire success.

POTOMAC FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION. -The new secretary of the Potomac Fruit Growers' Association, Dr. J. E. Snodgrass, solicits in behalf of that organization, which has proved useful in the development of fruit growing lands and interests hereabouts, letters from any source containing pertinent facts or making reasonable isquiries.

RUNAWAY. - The horses of Mr. William Hunter became frightened this afternoon during the fire alarm, and ran away from the store the principal thereof. The bonds to be \$1,000 of Davy & Harmon, but were stopped on Nail each, bearing five per cent. interest payable or's Hill before anything had happened more serious that the breaking of a part of the wagn to which they were attached.

> FIRE. - The alarm of fire about two o'clock this afternoon, was caused by the partial burning of the roof of one of the row of framed houses just this side of the caual locks. Some of the fire department was out but did not go into service as the flames were speedily extinguished by the occupants of the building.

CONDEMNED OYSTERS .- A cargo of oysters that had been condemned in Washington, arrived here this morning from that city, and were offered for sale, but the vigilant inspector, Mr. Valentine, soon discovered that they were unsound and ordered the captain of the boat to close his hatches.

BURNED MAILS. - All the mail for the North that had accumulated in this city up to 5 clock last Thurday, as well as what came from the South that evening was burned in the accident on the Baltimore and Potomac ratiroad, an account of which was published in yesterday's Gazette.

PERSONAL. - Hon. J. Ambler Smith (Republican) of the House of Representatives from the Richmond District was in this city to-day. and unhesitatingly expressed his utter condemnation of the course of Sheridan and the administration in reference to the Louisiana out-

PARALYZED -Mr. Elkana Ware, whose leg was broken on Union street some years ago, and who has been a cripple ever since, was paralyzed early this morning while on his way from the Market-house to his home in the 1st

ALUMNI MEETING. - The annual meeting of the Virginia University Alumni Association, of this city, will be held next Friday night, when the officers will be elected, and other interesting business transacted.

ASSISTANT POSTMASTER.-Mr. G. Patterson Berkeley has been appointed Assistant Postmaster of this city, vice G. C. Hewes, resigned. Mr. Hewes has been appointed Deivery Clerk in the same office.

ROBBERY. - The cook shop of John Dogan. on the King street wharf, was broken open by unknown thieves, last night, and robbed of al the provisions it contained.

Rev. Wm. H. Chapman, Pastor of M. E. Church, Georgetown, D C., writes: "Having had an opportunity to test the excellent quali-

POPULAR LECTURE. INTERESTING!

PROFITABLE! REV. OSCAR F FLIPPO, of Baltimore,

will deliver a Lecture in the BAPTIST CHURCH, TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 12,

Subject: "Anger; or, the folly of yetting ......" This lecture has been received with highest approval wherever delivered.)

Admission 25 ets. FINE OLD BAKER WHISKEY, Scotch and English Ale and London Brown Stout, Fine French Brandy, Jamaica Rum, Old Peach and Apple Brandy and Holland Gin. These goods are strictly pure, and we feel assured that they will give satisfaction to those who wish a pure article.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.

The Alabama Investigation.

LIVINGSTON, SUMTER CO., ALA., Jan. 9.-Messrs. Albright and Buckner, of the Alabama Investigating Committee yesterday concluded the four days investigation at this place. Many witnesses were examined as to the killing of Billings and Ivey, and the whipping of the pegro, Nelson Doyle, proved. No proof connecting those acts with political motives. If was proven that the Forkland riot originated in a strife between negroes respecting the distribution of government bacon. Attempts to quell the disturbance resulted in a combination of the negroes against the whites, and an attack by the former, who subsequently transferred operations to the adjacent neighborhood, across the river, and in this county, where having offered some objection against fulfilling armed demonstration was suppressed by the civil authorities without bloodshed. The reported outrages in Choctaw proved mere inventions. It was proven that in this county the United States authorities made arrests, seized houses, and carried away private property without warrant. The same authorities took possession of the county jail. A colored Democrat was arrested without warrant, imprisoned, and subsequently dis-ICE. - Nearly all the ice houses in West End | charged without examination. While imprisoned a military guard threatened to shoot him if he did not furnish information which he could not give. It was in proof that Bob Reid declared that he would carry Sumpter county, or ride chin deep in blood. In refutation of the charges of the intimidation of Republican voters, it was proven that in the last election the republican vote in this county was increased thirty three per cent over Grant's

The New York Meeting.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9. - Mayor Wickham wil preside at the public demonstration in condemnation of military proceedings in Louisiana, to be held on Monday night. The call received numerous additional signatures yesterday at the various exchanges and elsewhere. The arrangements for the meeting will be perfeeted to-day. Party feeling ran high in the Produce Exchange yesterday, growing out of the diverse views entertained by members on the subject. The sentiment of the Exchange was in the main opposed to the action of the government, but there was a small determined body of administration men who believed that Sheridan was justified in what he had said and done. Several copies of the call for the mass meeting had been prepared and signatures which was referred. were freely appended. A number of administration men, who had been watching the movement, protested, and finding their protest of no avail, started a petition concurring in the action of the government. This was signed by nearly all the administration men. On the upper floor of the Exchange the feeling was most intense, and after several of the sheets containing the anti-federal petition bad destroyed by an opponent. This created the most intense feeling, and served to stimulate the efforts of those who were in favor of the mass meeting. The counter petition, which John Lannon, was signed by twenty-four members, says: "We, the undersigned, recollecting how the rebellion was inaugurated and the country forced into a war by the failure of the government to protect its forts and officers, hereby testify our approval of the prompt action of Extra, . uper, Fine and Middlings-in store the government in the late case of the Legislature of Louisiana."

# Snow Storm.

CHICAGO, Jan. 9 .- About seven o'clock last night the weather turned suddenly cold and a driving snow storm from the west set in. It grew colder hourly. Dispatches from places throughout the northwest report extremely cold weather and in some places heavy snow

At Jacksonvlile, Ill., it was saowing heavily last night, the thermometer being below zero. At Desmoines, Iowa., at ten o'clock last night the thermometer marked 28 degrees below zero, having changed from eight above, the weather being the coldest for many years. A drifting snow storm had prevailed since ten o'clock yesterday morning, and, it was feared, that much suffering would ensue among the poorer classes.

## A Bishop Sustained.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., Jan. 9. - In the Catholic case, so long in controversy, of Father Slack vs. Bishop O'Hara, the master in chancery decided that the action of the Bishop in removing the Father from the Church of Auunciation of this city was in full accord with the recognized law and discipline of the Catholic Church; that a priest is bound to accept and abide by the law of a voluntary association while a member. The case may come up again in the Lycoming Court of Common Pleas.

## Cold Weather.

St. Louis, Jan. 9. - A very sudden and marked change in the weather occurred here ties of Dr Bull's Cough Syrup, I hesitate not last evening. At four p. m. the mercury stood to say, it is the best remedy I have ever used at thirty-one degrees above and at seven p. m. five degrees below zero, and the increase in the velocity of the wind was from four to twentyfour miles per hour. The mercury fell gradually from 7 p. m. and at ten o'clock was nine degrees below zero, the lowest point it has touched this winter.

# Bishop of Wiscousin.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 9. - The diocese of Wisconsin having been divided with the assert of late Triennial Convention, a convention met at homelu Lac yesterday to organize the diocese, which sists of twenty northeastern counties of the te. It was resolved to name it the diocese of an Du Lac. Rev. Brighten Coleman, rector of Trivity Church, Toledo, was chosen Bishop.

The Sheridan. Janap Dispatches. NEW YORK, CO 9 .- According to the Herald's Washind saspecial Secretaries Fish and Bristow and U ? Postmaster General, stated in interviews or erday, that they were not consulted with range nee to, nor did they

The Grangers.

J. C. MILBURN. MILWAUKEE, 1)ec. 9. -The State Grange dec 4

to-day adopted a resolution of tha uke to the Legislature for passing the Potter law; the State officers and the Supreme Court for enforcing it. Also a resolution asking Cougress to so amend the patent law that any person can manufacture a patent article upon payment of

New York Bank Statement. NEW YORK, Jan. 9. - The weekly Bank tatement is as follows:

Loans, increase..... Specie, increase. 5 248, 109 Legal tenders, increase. 1,177,500 Circulation, decrease 215,0 0
Reserve increase 3,889,450

China and Japan. London, Jan. 9 .- This afternoon's Globe has information that further difficulties between the governments of China and Japan are anticipated in consequence of the latter the conditions of the Formosa treaty.

### Specie Shipments.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9. - The specie shipments to Europe to-day were \$700,000, of which \$600,000 was in gold coin.

## Faliure.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9. - Babcock & Co., grocers, have failed.

### Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, Jap. 9. 11, a. m. For the Middle States, rising barometer, desided fall in temperature, winds veering to west and north and increasing to brisk and high with rain or snow, followed by clearing weather.

The Markets. New York, Jan. 9. - Stocks dull. Money 3 Fold 121. Frour quiet and uschanged. Wheat dull and unchanged. Corn a shade firmer. BALTIMORE, January 9 Va. 6's, peelers, 40; do. consolidated, 53%. W. Va.'s, 11. Cotvote in 1872. This is sustained by official re- too firmer and quiet; low middlings 141. Frour dull and unchanged. Wheat declining; No. 1 amber Western 125a126; No. 2 do. 120a121 No. 3 do. 114a115; No. 1 red Western 122a 123; No. 2 do. 118, No. 3 do. 110; rejected 107; red Maryland 115a125; do. amber 130. Corn dull and flat; white Southern 78483; Western 78-81; mixed Western in elevator 80a 81; do. in steamer 77. Oats dull and unchanged. Rye unchanged. Hay unchanged. Coffee strong and unchanged; want of stock restricts transactions. Sugar firm and scarce at 104 a103.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. William Morgan, District tax clerk of Washington, formerly of this city, where he has many friends, slipped on the ice while on the way to his office, yesterday, and broke his right leg near the ankle.

In the House of Representatives, yesterday, Gen. Huntou introduced a bill for the relief of - Williamson, of Fauquier county. Virgiuia, late a guide and scout of the U. S. army,

Letters addressed to Samuel J. Niles, Mrs W. King and R. F. Turner, Washington, D. C., are detained in the Postoffice here for want

## AMUSEMENTS.

SECOND ANNUAL BALL

OF THE KNIGHTS OF ST. PATRICK AT THE

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1875. Floor Managers.
M. H. Nash. Committee of Arrangements.

one G. H. Harlow,

Hov. P. F. Gorman,

J. P. Rice. The committee reserves the right to exclude objectionable persons.

WE INVITE the attention of grocers and bakers to our stock of FLOUR-Family, and for sale by DELAPLANE & FOWLE,

27 King street.

19 BAGS JAVA, RIO and LaGAUYRA COFFEES just received and for sale at lowest market rates by J. C. MILBURN.

JUST RECEIVED-25 barrelss "STONE-WALL" FAMILY FLOUR for sale by DELAPLANE & FOWLE, 27 King street.

A GAIN ON THE MARKET-COLUM-BIA MILLS FAMILY FLOUR. DELAPLANE & FOWLE, Sole Agents. 50 BBLS GOOD SUPER FLOUR in store and for sale by DELPLANE & FOWLE.

FIRST NAT'L. BANK, ALEX'A., VA. January 6, 1875.

The semi-annual dividend (six per cent) will be paid to the stockholders on and after Mon-

day, January 11th. jan 6-3t CHAS. R. HOOFF, Cashier. HOUSE MAID WANTED—A good color-ed house maid, well recommended, will find a good home, constant employment and fair wages by applying at No. 55 north Washjan 5-3t ington street.

WANTED-A YOUNG MAN who under-stands the drug business will probably stands the drug business will probably find a situation by addressing, with references, R. V, Alexandria, Va. jan 7-3t PIVER'S EXTRACT VIOLET, a very choice article; also Lubin's Genuine Ex-

tracts, for sale by JANNEY & CO. COUNTRY PRODUCE received daily by

express and regular freight. For sale to the trade by DELAPLANE & FOWLE, trade by dec 22 SEED-Choice Ohio Clover Seed; choice Sapling do., and Timothy Jo., for sale by THOS. PERKY,

40 BBLS NO. 3 MACKEREL for sale low

to close a consignment.
HOUE & JOHNSTON. COMBSI TOMBSI prices, at GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE, nov 17 and Hair Goods Manufactory.

SEA FOAM just received and for sale by W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. dec 12 BULLOCH, LADE & CO'S. "CAOL ILA" SCOTCH WHISKEY in store. dec 5 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

NEW YORK BUCKWHEAT in store and for sale by W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. dec 23 150 BUSHELS CHOICE WESTERN CLOVER SEED for sale by WASHINGTON & BRO. jan 2

BBLS NO. 1 NEW ROUND EAST-ERN HERRINGS for sale by WASHINGTON & BRO. jan 2 SALT-500 sacks Fine Salt and 500 sacks G.
A. Salt for sale by
Jan 2 WASHINGTON & BRO. jan 2 CHAMPAGNE CIDER AND SWEET

CIDER, just received. R. B. LAWSON & CO. dec 3 A TMORE'S MINCE MEAT in store and W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. dec 22 DINEAPPLE and AM CHEESE in store and for sale at 147 King st.

dec 22
W. F. BROOKES.

A NOTHER LOT OF PRIME ROLL BUT-dec 4 J. C. MILBURN.

FOR SALE OB RENT.

FOR RENT-A THREE-STORY
BRICK HOUSE, on Columbus street, between Prince and Duke, No. 35. tenant the rent will be made low. Enquire of JOHN T. EVANS. jan 5

FOR RENT-The WHARF and WARE-HOUSE recently occupied by B. H. Lam-

bert. Rent low. Apply to E. J. MILLER, Ex'r., 65 King street.

FOR RENT, SALE OR EXCHANGE—
The old VIRGINIA HOUSE, corner King and Peyton streets, with stable, containing about 30 stails, all in excellent condition, together with TWOSMALL BRICK PWELLINGS Terms easy. Farm, dwelling or other property taken in exchange. Apply to ALBERT STUART, Market House Building, Alexandria Va. or to WM. CAREY, cor. Louisiana ave. and 7th st., Washington, D. C. dec 3-twim

FOR RENT-The two story BRICK FOR RENT—The two tory BRICK DWELLING No. 120 Prince street, how occupied by Mr. John Hawxhurst. Possession given December 6. Apply to WM. ARNOLD dec 1-ti or JOHN A. FIELD.

FOR SALE-A FARM OF 63 ACRES, on Columbia Turnpike, 31 miles from Washington. Good HOUSE and BARN, Etc. Apple and Peach Orchard, fine stream of water and never-failing Springs. Location high and bealthy. Suitable for Dairy, Truck and Frant. Will exchange for city property in part. Apply to ROBERT F. KNOX. oct 30-tf

FOR RENT-The HOUSE No. 169 King street, now occupied by Dr. A. F. Cox. is three stories, and has gas and water. Possession given Nov'r. 1. Enquire of J. T. H11.L. agent for E. M. Lowe.

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The Mistress of the Manse. By J. G. Holland. 20,030 sold in four weeks. Price \$1.50. Heart Life in Song. By Fannie H. Marr. vol., 12mo. Price \$1.25. The Pre-Adamite, or Who Tempted Eve-

Scripture and Science in Unison as respects the Antiquity of Man. By A. Hoyle Listes. Price Wrecked on the Reef, or Twenty Months Among the Auckland Isies. Price \$2,50. Lendon Illustrated News; Christmas number splendid colored illustrations. Prices 60 cents. The London Graphic; Christm's number; il lustrations beau ifully colored. Price 60c. Moonfols, a True Account of the home of the Fairy Tales. By Jane G. Austin Illusrated; a

beautiful book. Price \$2. My Sister Jennnie. By George Sand. Pri-

Jossie Trim. By B. L. Farjeon Price 50°. The King of No Land. By B. L. Farjeon. Price 15 L Mulcolm. By Geo. McDonald. Price St. Owing to the unprecedented success attending the mailing of that remarkably Cheap Note Ya per, I have established a Mailing Department for the forwarding of anything in the Book and Stationery line. Books forwarded, post-paid, on receipt of published price. A full line of Stationery of every kind and description. New Lots of that five quires. very cheap paper, by mail, 30 cents. Lot No. 2, five quires. 45 cents Lot No. 3, five quires, 55 cents. Lot No. 4, five quires Freuen Quadrille Paper, 75c, and St. Lot No. 5, best English and American Notes, five quires, 75 cents and \$1. Envelopes to match at quality low rates. Letter and Cap Papers maild in any quantity—single quire or by the ream. Diaries for 1875 A full line, one, two and

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CARD.

LAST NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

All persons indebted to me for State taxes fee bills, &c.. are hereby notified that immediate payment of the same must be made, as have to close my accounts at once.

J. M. STEUART, dec 24-10tif Late City Sergeant. twelve and eighteen months; the bonds of the

ASK FOR WINES AND BRANDIES, M. B. BUCK, BELMONT VINEYARDS Front Royal, Va.

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NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS. The tax bills for 1874 have been placed in my hands for collection. The time for payment is limited by law to March 1st. All persons are earnestly requested to come forward and save themselves additional trouble and costs. I will be at my office, in the Court House, Fairing street entrance, every day from 9 s. m. until b. m. JOHN W. CAMPBELL,

City Sergeant. BANK OF THE OLD DOMINION. Alexandria, Va., Dec. 30, 1874.
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders this Bank, for the election of nine Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House of the Citizens' National Bank, on TUESDAY, the 12th of January next, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, dec 30-eotd WM. H LAMBERT, Cashier.

COLLARS AND CUFFS. 50 dezen LADIES and GENTS LINEN CUFFS, at 25c, at FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.

100 dozen LINEN COLLARS at 6c, at dec 28 FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.

ATTENTION, FARMERS. Wanted 100 bbls of CORN, at COOK & CO'S. New Feed Store, No. 34 King street, opposite H. Bryant's Implement and Seed Store.
Also 1:0 tons of VIRGINIA HAY. "Live and let live" is the motto of the new firm.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK, Alexandria, Va., January Alexandria, Va., January 5, 1875. The Board of Directors has this day deciared asemi-annual DIVIDEND OF THREE-AND-CNE-HALF PER CENT, payable on and after

the 7th instant. WM. H. LAMBERT, Cash er.

RECEIVED THIS DAY. James S. Welch's Family Flour. Columbia Mills Montrose Super
DELAPLANE & FOWLF, For sale by Sole Ag'ts, for Alexa.

CAMPHOR ICE. ROSE LIP SALVE, Glycerine Wash, &c., prepared and for sale by dec 18 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO CAPE COD CRANBERKIES, Layer, Valencia and Seedless Raisins, prime Citron and Lemon Peel, &c., &c., for sale by dec 14

J. C. MILBURN.

will be held at the banking house, on TUES-DAY, the 12.h day of January, 1875, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock. WM. H. LAMBERT, Cashier. dec 14

AUCTION SALES.

A SSIGNEE'S SALE OF CHOSES IN AC-TION. By virtue of an order of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, entered in the matter of M. Eldridge & Co., bankrupts, I will sell, at public auction, in front of the Custom House, in the city of Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, January 18th, 1875, at 11 o'clock a. m., a number of OPEN ACCOUNTS and NOTES due the estate of said

bankrupts. Terms cash. j.n 4-eots H. S. WATTLES, Assignee. DUBLIC SALE OF A FLOATING SAW

MILL.

By virtue of a deed of trust, executed to us by John Hawahurst, dated August 27th, 1874, we shall, as trustees named in the said dead, sell, at public auction, on THURSDAY, January 14th, 1875, at 12 o'clock m., at the Pioneer Mills, toot of Duke street, Alexandria, Va., a FLOATING SAW MILL, having an engine f about twenty herse power, and a capacity of ab ut four thousand feet of lumber per day. Terms of Sale: One third of the purchase money in cash; one-third in three months, and one-third in six months; the deferred payments o be secured by approved endorsed paper.

CHAS. R. HOOFF. ROBT. F. ROBERTS Trustees.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE I PROPERTY -- By virtue of a deed of trust from Harriet A. Sanford and others to the unde signed, bearing date the 9th day of March, 874, and of record on the land records of Fairtax county, liber R, No. 4, folio 55, and for the proposes of said trust, I shall, on MONDAY, the lst day of February, 1875, that being the first day of Circuit Court, sell, to the highest ordider, in front of the Court House door of said county, all the property conveyed by said trust deed, consisting of an UNDIVIDED TWO-THIRD FART OF A TRACT OF LAND, lying near Clifton station, on the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R., containing 292 acres, 1 rood and 16 poles, excepting thereout - seres sold to Wm. Fullert m. Also TWO UNDIVIDED THIRD PARTS OF THAT CERTAIN LOT, situated at the vallage of Clifton, containing one-curth of an acre, known as the MILL LOT. Also a two thirds interest in the Saw Mill, on said lot, including Fixtures, Boilers and appur-tenances thereon. Also the absolute right and ownership in and to one Shingle Machine and Joiner, Crate Machinery, Spoke Shop and Mahi ery, Cut off Saw, Swinging Table and all other fixtures and machinery in or pertaining to

Terms of Salo: So much eash in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of sale and \$144.67; the sum of \$500 is, payable on the 9th day of March, 1815, to bear it terest from 9th September, 1874 payable semi annually, and the like sum, wen like interest, or the 9th day of Marca, 1876, '77, '78, '79, '80 and 81; the residue, if any, to fall our 9th March, 1882. The deserred payments to be secured by tien on the property sold. Persons deciring to purchase are referred to Messis. Makely & Rice, at Cliton, who will show the property.
THOMAS MOORE, Trustee.

Fairfax county, dec 31-wts I MPROVED FARM FOR SALE-By virtue of the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, entered up at its June term, 1873, in the suit therein pending of Grady's administrator a ninst James J. Love and others, the undersigned, commissioners therein named, will, on MONDAY, the 1st day of February, 1875, that being Circuit Cour. day, in front of the Court House of said county, at one o'clock p. m., sell, to the highest bidder, that TRACT OF LAND

on which Thomas Sinafield resides, containing

4:0 scres. This land is in a good state of culti-

vation; has plenty of wood, excellent water and good and comfertable BUILDINGS, and less 21 miles northwest of Fairfax Court H u.e. on the road leading from Germantown to blint Hill. Persons wishing to buy are requested to coll on Thomas Moore, at Fairfax Court House, who will show the premises. Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will be required to pay the expenses of sale and the om of \$1, 30.44, with interest thereen from the 18 h day of December, 1871, till sale, and the res du un two equal annual payments, with inere t from the day of sale; the purchaser to execute his bonds, with sufficient security for the

u th the purchase money is all paid.

MATTIEW HARRISON,
THOMAS MOORE, Coms of Sale. Fairfax co., dec 31-wts

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

OMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY-By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Alexandria county, rendered at its November term, 1874, in the suit of E. Catts, executrix, vs. E. W. Kincheloe et als., in chancery, the undersigned, commissioner therein named will expose for sale, by public auction, on THURSDAY, the 21st day of Jan uary, 1875, in front of the Mansion Hou e Hotel, at 12 o'clock m., those TWO VALU-ABLETHREE-STORY BRICK DWEL-LINGS and LOTS OF GROUND, situated at the northeast intersection of Duke and Lee sta., in the city of Alexandria, Va., each fronting 14 leet on Duke screet, and running back 66 feet.
Terms of Sale: One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in six,

purchaser, with security, to be taken, with in-

terest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained until they are fully paid.

C. W. WATTLES, Commissioner of Sale. COMMISSIONER'S SALE-Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Virginia, rendered on the 7th day of November, 1874, in the suit of Windsor and Ford vs. James H. Darrow et als., the subscriber, physician will tell you they are sale and good commissioner of sale in the said suit, will expose for sale, at public auction, in front or the Court Heuse of Fariax county, Virginia, on MON-DAY, the 18th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock m., all that LOT OF GROUND attached in the said out, or so much thereof as is necessary to pay the sum of \$1,500.66, with interest on \$1,401.41, part thereof, from October 26, 1874, until paid, the amount decreed to the complamants in said suit, and costs—situated about the mile north of Fairfax Court House, in Fairlax county, Virginia, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone in the middle or theold Court ficuse read; thence with the centre of the said road north 15° east 50 poies 9 links to the corner of land heretofore owned by Soloman Van Orden; thence with said line north 854° west 58 poles 19 links to a planted stone 1 pole east of a branch; thence north 72° 23' west 188 poles to a marked white oak; thence south 21½° west 85 poles to a corner of H. Pruyne owned by Basley; thene south 817° east 232 poles 10 links to the beginning; containing ONE HUNDRED ACRES, the same being the tract of land conveyed by William Ainsley and wife to Robert trong, by deed of April 29th, 1861, and recorded in the land records of Fairles county, liber D. No. 4, folio 171, and by deed dated the 30th of July, 1865, and recorded in liber F. No. 4, folio 414, land records of Fairles county, and

conveyed by Saran Strong and husband to Thomas L. Hume. Terms of sale to be as follows: So much in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of this suit and sale, and the residue in six, twelve and eighteen mentis of equal payments; the purchaser to give bond with good personal security for the deserred payments, with interest thereon trom day of sale. EDMUND BURKE,
Fairtax co., dec 15-w4w Com. of Sale.

DENTAL CARD.

During my absence from this city as Professor of Dental Mechanism in the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, my practice here will be in charge of Dr. D. N. RUST, whose long associa-tion with me renders any endorsement of his ability on my part unnecessary. The liberal fayor shown me in the past I bespeak for him, assuring my friends and patients that he is in every sense worthy of it.

JAMES B. HODGKIN.

BLACK ALPACAS AND MOHAIRS. GREATER BARGAINS THAN EVER BE-

FORE
Dec. 31st, 1874-We received to-day a choice line of Black Alpacas, at prices ranging from 372c, 45c, 50c, 622 to 75c—fully 15 per ct. cheaper than any goods of the kind offered by us this season.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. HOOMES,

109 King street, Alexandria, Va. CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK, Alexandria, Va., Dec. 21, 1874.
The annual election for Directors of this Bank held at the banking house, on TUES-